en, the Marter, Looking at the Savin Beaven the Gallery Where God's Treasures Are Gathered - Good Man Often Martyrs.

In a late sermon in New York Rev. T De Witt Talmage grouped his dis-course into "Five Pictures." The text was from Acts vii. 56-60: "Behold, I ee the Heavens open." Dr. Talmage

Stephen had been preaching a rousing sermon and the people could not stand it. They resolved to do as men sometimes would like to do in this day. if they dared, with some plain preach er of righteousness-kill him. The only way to silence this man was to knock the breath out of him. So they rushed Stephen out of the gates of the city, and with curse and whoop and bellow they brought him to the cliff. as was the custom when they wanted to take away life by ston-ing. Having brought him to the edge of the cliff, they pushed him off. After he had fallen they came and looked down and seeing that he was not yet dead, they began to drop stones upon him, stone after stone. Amid this hor-rible rain of misalles Stephen clambers upon his knees and folds his hands, while the blood drips from his tem-ples, and then, looking up, he makes two prayers—one for himself and one for his murderers. "Lord Jesus, re-ceive my spirit," that was for himself. Lord, lay not this sin to their charge, that was for his murderers. Then, from pain and loss of blood, he swooned away and fell asleep.

I want to show you to-day five pie tures, Stephen sgazing into Heaven. Stephen looking at Christ. Stephen stoned. Stephen in his dying prayer

Stephen asleep.
First, look at Stephen gazing into Heaven. Before you take a leap you want to know where you are going to land. Before you climb a ladder you want to know to what point the lad der renches. And it was right that Stephen, within a few moments of Heaven, should be gazing into it. We would all do well to be found in the same posture. There is enough in Heaven to keep us gazing. A man of large wealth may have statuary in the hall and paintings in the sitting room and works of art in all parts of the house, but he has the chief pictures in the art gallery, and there, hour after hour, you walk with catalogue and glass and ever-increasing admiration.

Well, Heaven is the gallery where God has gathered the chief treasurers of His realm. The whole universe is His palace. In this lower room where we stop there are many adoraments; tessellated floors of amethyst, and on the winding cloud-stairs are stretched out canvas on which commingle azure, and purple, and saffron, and gold. But the winding cloud-stairs are stretched out canvas on which commingle anure, and purple, and saffron, and gold. But Heaven is the gallery in which the chief glories are gathered. There are the the brightest robes. There are the richest crowns. There are the highest exhibitantions. St. John says of the day of his death, Stephen shall bring their honor and glory. Sanhedrim: this Sabbath morning he shall bring their honor and glory ato it. And I see the procession form-ing, and in the line come all empires, and the stars spring up into an arch for the hosts to march under. They and the pitch of avalanche from the mountains, and the flag they bear is the flame of a consuming world, and all Heaven turns out with harps and trumpets and myriad-voiced acclama-tion of angelic dominions to welcome tion of angelic dominions to welcome them in, and so the kings of the earth bring their honor and glory into it." Do you wonder that good people often Stephen, looking into Heaven? We have many friends there

There is not a man here so isolated in life but there is some one in Heaven with whom he once shook hands. As a man gets older, the number of his celestial acquaintances very rapidly multiplies. We have not had one glimpse of them since the night we kissed them good-by, and they went away, but still we stand garing at lway, but still we stand go our fleaven. As when some of our friends go neross the sea, we ste dock or on the steam tug, and watch them, and after awhile the hull of the vessel disappears, and then there is only a patch of sail on the sky, and soon that is gone, and sight, and yet we stand looking in the same direction; so all body. lown through the Narrows, and gazing transfigured faces.

While you long to join their com-aniouship, and the years and days go with such tedium that they break your heart, and the vipers of pain, and sor-row, and bereavement keep gnawing at your vitals, you will stand like spectful, and you will be able to pillo stephen, gazing into Heaven. You wonder if they have changed since you saw them last. You wonder if they would recognize your face now, so changed has it been with trouand put their shoulders under your for it the rest of the way? burdens. You wonder if they look Will the soul have to tra

we cannot say. The painters of different answer about it is an another mounted specimens of this species than of any other large game annitative of Christ and put them upon canvas, but we will have to wait until with our own eyes we see Him and thou. I shall sleep just as well in a possess magnificent groups that are

Him in He tion for all slaves. Tell Me, ye who Then let Stephen's prayer be my dy- garia.

know the most of the world's history, ing litany: "Lord Jesus, receive my what other king ever asked the spirit." It may be in that hour we abandoned, and the forlorn, and the will be too feeble to say a long prayer. wretched, and the outcast to come and I t may be in that hour we will not be sit beside him? Oh, wonderful invita- able to say the "Lord's Prayer." for it at beside nim. On wonderful invita- able to say the "Lora's rayer, for a tion! You can take it to-day, and stand has seven petitions. Perhaps we may at the head of the darkest alley in all be too feeble even to say the infant this city, and say: "Come! Clothes for prayer our mothers taught us, which your rags, salve for your sternal reigning." A Christ said every night when he put his head that talks like that and acts like that, and pardons like that do you wonder that Stephen stood looking at Him? I hope to spend eternity doing the same thing. I must see Him; I must look either of these familiar forms; but this hope to spend eteralty doing the same thing. I must see Him: I must look upon that face once clouded with my sin, but now radiant with my pardon. I want to touch that hand that knocked off my shackles. I want to hear the voice that pronounced my deliverance. Behold Him, little children; for if you live three score years and ten, you will see none so fair. Behold Him, ye aged

and drop a stone upon his head. But A rock under him, stones falling upon these men did not so much kill Stephen him, the blood streaming, the mob as they killed themselves. Every stone rebounded upon them. While these murderers were transfixed by the scorn of all good usen. Stephen lives in the admiration of all Christendom. Stephen stoned, but Stephen alive. So all good men must be peited. "All who will live godly in Christ. Jesus must suffer persecution." It is no eulogy of a man to say that everyboly likes him. Show how many bare feet he had distributed, how many bare feet he had distributed, how many bare feet he had annialled.

estate, and I find that the newspaper anathematize him, and men, even good men, oppose him and denounce him be cause, though he does good, he does not sanhedrim; this Sabbath morning he addresses all Christendom. Paul, the apostle, stood on Mars' hill addressing Paul, the abuse. a handful of philosophers who knew not so much about science as a modern school girl. To-day be talks to all the millions of Christendom about the wonders of justification and the glories of resurrection. John Wesley Heaven's morn. Not a sigh. Not a ten Not a strongle. Hush Stephen showled down by the mob to whom he preached and they threw bricks at him, and they denounced him, and they jostled him and they spat upon to tell the weather. I can never tell taining order. The East and Mid-hy the setting way whether there will.

t want would become of his boat. His it first thought was about his spirit. The murderer standing on the trap door, the black cap being drawn over his head before the execution may grimace about the future: but you and I have no shame in confessing is some anxiety about where we are going to come out. You are not cone un no more agony because flour has going to come out. You are not cone un no more atruggle with "the There is within you when our friends go away from us into a soul. I see it gleam from your the future world, we keep looking eyes to-day, and I see it irradiating your countenance. Sometimes I am abashed before an audience not beand gazing as though we expected they would come out and stand on some cloud, and give us one glimpse of their sight, but because I realize the truth that I stand before so many immortal spirits. The probability is that your body will at least find a sepulcher in some of the cemeteries that surround this city. There is no doubt but that your obsequies will be decent and reyour head under the maple, or the Nor way spruce, or the express, or the blossoming fir, but this spirit about which Stephen prayed, what direction will that take. What guide will escort it ble. You wonder if, amid the What gate will open to receive it? myriad delights they have, they care What cloud will be eleft for its pathmyriad delignis they have. they care what closes will be celled to spasse as much for you as they used to way? After it has got beyond the light when they gave you a helping hand of the sun, will there be to exclusing here.

Will the soul have to travel through burdens. You wonder it sate; and sometimes in the evening tide, when the house is all quiet, you wonder if you should call them by their first name if they would not any ask the way to the city? Oh, this may ask the way to the city? Oh, this when they 'yard up' in a given localing the first name is a sometimes you do

with our own ears we can hear Him. | wrapping of sackcloth as in satin lined And yet there is a way of seeing Him with engle's down. But my soul—be-and hearing Him now. I have to tell fore I close this discourse I will find and hearing Him now. I have to tell fore I close this discourse I will find country besides.—W. T. Hornaday, in out where it will land. Thank God St. Nicholas. on earth, you will never see and hear for the intimation of my text, that Him in Heaven. That an when we die Jesus takes us. That an Look! There He is! Behold the swers all questions for me. What Lamb of God! Can you not see Him? Then pray to God to take the scales off tween here and the city of light. Jesus

prayer of Stephen is so short, is so con-

borsecution. It is no enlogy of a man to say that everybody likes him. Show me any one who is doing all his dute to state and church and I will show you scores of men who utterly abhor him.

If all men speak well of you, it is because you are atther a largered as the man because the man distributed, how many bare feet he had distributed, how many cots of sickness and distributed. cause you are either a laggard or a he was a laborious Christian. But that fold. If a steamer makes rapid progress through the waves, the water will cup to the last fainting lip. He has boil and foam all around it. Brave taken the last insult from his enemies soldiers of Jesus Christ will hear the carbines click. When I see a man with weight he is susceptible, has been roice, with money and influence all on hurled. Stephen is dead. The disciples

> crouch and everything become smooth and struggled close by.
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> Over 800 United States troops, under the command of Col. Poland, of Columand burnished as though a camping place for the glories of Heaven. So I have seen a man whose life has been tossed and driven, coming down at brilliant scene and enforce law and last to an infinite calm, in which there was a hush of licaven's lullaby, ing on confederate lines and federal

his days against poverty and against abuse. They traduced his name. They rattled at the doorknob while he was dying, with duns for debts he could not pay; and yet the peace of here, and their presence is the in-God brooded over his pillow, and the deepening twilight of earth's night forces. Business meetings are being

admitted to be the great father of Methodism. Booth's builter vacated the presidential chair, but from that spot of coagulated blood on the foor in the box of Ford's theater there sprang up the new life of a nation. the presidential chair, but from that spot of coagulated blood on the floor in the box of Ford's theater there sprang up the new life of a nation. Stephen stoned, but Stephen alive.

Pass on now, and see Stephen in his dying prayer. His first thought was not how the stones hurt his head, nor what would become of his body. His first thought was about his spirit.

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And though there may be no hand to close to make the next on which the next of the next of the next of the next on which the next of the next on which the next of th gone up no more struggle with world, the flesh and the devil:" peace-long, deep, everlasting peace. Stephen asleep!

Aslesp in Jesus, blessed story A calm and undisturbed repo ninjured by the last of for Asleep in Jesus, far from the Thy kindred and thy graves may be But there is still a niessed sleep. From which none ever wake to meep.

You have seen enough for one day. o one can successfully examine more Heaven: Stephen looking at Christ; Stephen stoned: Stephen in his dying dying," but the guide points it out with a deal of pride.

Sunting the Moose. Thunks to the fact that the moose is rather solitary in his habits, quick-witted, and keen of eye, ear and nostril in detecting danger, he is not des-

possess magnificent groups that are lasting monuments to the greatness of Alces Americanus, and a credit to our

-All modern writers on the art and science of war declare that no civilized also here, but only as spectators, nation should employ barbarian troops in warfare. This prombition has, how-before adorned picturesque Chattanation should employ barbarian troops in warfare. This prombition has, how-

CHICKAMAUGA.

Dedication of the Great National Military Park

The Blue and the Gray Meet as on Fields They Fought Over Thirty Years Ago-Many Notable Persons Present.

on a crowded and gally caparisone city. The feeling that she is witness cise, is so carnest, is so comprehensive, city. The feeling that she is witness-we surely will be able to say that:
"Lord Jesus, receive my spirit." Oh, if that prayer is answered, how sweet it will be to die! This world is elever the 5,506 acres which comprise the woice that pronounced my deliverance. Behold Him, little children; for if you live three score years and ten, you will see none so fair. Behold Him, ye aged ones; for He can only shine through the dimness of your failing evesight. Behold Him, earth. Behold Him, Heaven. What a moment when all the nations of the saved shall gather around Christ. All faces that way. All thrones that way, gazing on Jesus. His worth first he mations knew. Sure the whole earth would love Him, too. I puss on now and look at Stephen stoned. The world has alwars wanted to get rid of good men. Their very life is an assault upon wickedness. Out with Stephen through the gates of the city. Down with him over the precipices. Let every man come up and drop a stone upon his head. But these men did not so much kill Stephen is the last moment the blood streaming, the mob



woice, with money and influence all on the right side, and some caricature him, and some seer at him, and some denounce him, and some him, and some denounce him, and men who pretend to be actuated by right motives conspire to cripple him, to cast him out, to destroy him. I say, "Stephen stoned." When I see a man in some great moral or religious reform battling against grogshops, exposing wickedness in high places, by active means trying to purify the church and better the world's estate, and I find that the newspapers above wave seemed as if about to Illinois, and John B Gordon, of Georgia, above wave seemed as if about to Illinois and John B. Gordon, of Georgia storm the heavens, and then I have delivering fervid, eloquent orations seen the tempest drop and the waves while a great wave of humanity surged

bus, are present to add luster to the Stephen asieep! on the opposite fields. Reunions in I saw such an one. He fought all plenty were held this evening, a great confederate one occurring on the old fighting ground near the blacksmith shop spoken of in Longstreet's report-tions. Longstreet and Wallace are



CONTREST TO RESULAS I. S. CAVALES than five pictures in a day. Therefore the same place while attempting to we stop, having seen this cluster of divine Raphaels—Stephen gazing into marker points the place where Gen.

Visitors, as a rule, are doing Chicka manga as in '63, taking first the co-federate lines near Thedford hous where Bragg had first planned to whi the enemy, but in which he was folled by the night march of the federals, nd following the fight till the night fall of the 50th The field is intense! interesting thus taken, and by aid o the markers, monuments and cannon may ask the way to the city? Oh, this mysterious spirit within us! It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It is locked fast to keep it but let the door of this cage open the least, and listen, and sit gazing into Heaveh. Pass on now, and see Stephen looking upon Christ. My text says he saw the Son of Man on the right hand of food. Just how Christ looked in this world, just how Christ looked in this world, just how He looked in Heaven, we cannot say. The painters of differ- anxiety about it? My text says he saw the country of the city? Oh, this mysterious spirit within us! It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It has two wings, but it is in a cage one. It is looked fast to keep it but let the door of this cage open the least, and that soul is off. Eagle's wing could not catch it. The lightnings are not in the dead of winter, when they "yard up" in a given local-time, when they "yard up" in a given local-tim it is easily done. Ohio has fifty-nine and mountain are invaand, for the first time in history, chief executives of so many states and a great assortment of presidential tim-ber have gathered at one place. Tomorrow's programme will begin at noon in the city under a mammoth tent. Gens William B Bate, of Tennessee, and Charles H. Grosvenor, of Ohio. will deliver the addresses. Gens. A. P. Stewart and John Turchin are

Then pray to God to take the scales off your eyes. Look that way. His voice could remove them. What though there were great Saharas of darks down to you this day—comes down to the blindest, to the deafest soul saying. "Look unto Me, all ye ends of the earth, and be ye saved, for all slaves, Tools and out the end of the earth, and be ye saved, for all slaves. Tell Me, we who to the steephen's general substants of Ball-slaves. The possibilition has, however, been frequently violated by the curson of the strength of their sadder two distances. The possibilition has, however, been frequently violated by the strength of their possibilition has, however, been frequently violated by the strength of their sadder two distances of the strength of the strength of their sadder two distances of the strength of the strength of their sadder two distances of the strength of the strength of their sadder two distances of the strength of the strength of their sadder two distances of the strength of the strength of the strength of the military review will be the feature of to that place.

to-morrow's festivities and will be a grand military display reviewed by Vice President Adlai E. Stevenson, Secretary Lamont and other distin-guished guests. Each state has separate and special exercises. Minnesota has the handsomest monument on the battlefield. Missouri is the only state which has creeted monuments to both her union and confederate regiments. Illinois' monuments are the least pre-

The annual reunion of the Army of the Cumberland was held last evening, the 1sth, with Gen. Charles fl. Manderson, the silver-tongued Ne-braskan, as orator. The Army of the Tennessee was present and the scene was an inspiring one.

Mil. TON B. OCHS.

cossessing but the most durable.

SOME DOUBT ABOUT IT.

Trainmons May Succeed in Preventing the Contest at Dallas After All. CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—In sporting cir-des here it is said that if Bob Fitzsimnons adheres to his determination to claim a part of the proceeds on the various concessions or refuse to go into the ring there is a probability that the big fight between bim and Corbett will not take place at Dan Stuart said that the picture privilege had been sold to W. A. Brady when the articles of agreeuent were signed. The other privi-eges are his own and he would never surrender a part of them to anyone, no matter what the consequences. Stuart is of the opinion that the hang-ing up of a purse of \$41,000 is all that can be expected of him by the fighters, and in this position he is generally backed by the Chicago sporting fraternity

TWELVE THOUSAND MILES.

Vonderful Endurance of a Bicyclist Who Will Ride Around the Culted States. NEWFORT, R. I. Sept. 16.—Tom Wind-or the United States coast line bicycle

the younger a Winchester shotgun was a Winchester shotgun was a winchester shotgun was freturn from a hunt, and playfully pointed it at Bessie's head. Not be lieving it was loaded she touched the lieving it was loaded she touched the triinger and the gun was fired and Besteringer and the gun was fired and Bester and Gun and Bester and Gun and Bester and Gun an

Murder at Braggs. L. T.

The Brass of patriotism burn brightly upon at the altar of liberty, states are not "pinned together with bayoneta. The union is enshrined in the Brass of the people and from the sentines upon the waich towars of the nation comes the cry." All is well.

The two men met at a restaurant and after a few words were passed Swimmer, without any warning, pulled his gun and fired two shots, killing Baldridge instantly.

Wheat for Uklahoms Farmers

Kaysas City. Mo., Sept. 16.—Since

Example 1.

We would not dim the Juster of the achieve-

coins of the subject of olicions efficient save been in the city completing arrangements with the grain men here for the supply of seed wheat for the Oklahoma farmers in the districts where there was failure of the wheat crop the past season. They have secured and shipped to that country several thousand bushels and completed arrangements for as much as may be needed.

A St. Joseph Bank Clerk's Suicide.

St. Louis, Sept. 16.—Clare H. Matteson, clerk in the First national bank at St. Joseph Mo., who recently came here, leaped into the river from a sand barge at the foot of Clinton street. The current swept him down the stream, and before a boat could put out from the shore he went down. He was engaged to Miss Sadie Woodworth, of St. Joseph, but she broke the engagement.

Gardner Won a Battle.

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Gardner Won a Battle KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 16.—Oscar-Gardner was given the decision over George Stout last night, after twelve report from the engineer in charge of rounds of as pretty fighting as has the harbor improvement at Galveston, been seen about Kansas City for a long Tex., that there is now a 400-foot chantime. The fight was held on the island in the Missouri river just above the city, and was witnessed by a crowd of outer curves within the past year has

MAJ. WARNER'S ADDRESS.

by the Past Commander-in-Chief of One of the best speeches at the recent one of the best speeches at the recens encampment of veterans at Louisville, Ky., was that delivered by Maj. Wil-liam Warner, of Kansas City, Mo., in response to the address of welcome by Henry Watterson of Louisville. Maj.

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to manual piterimage has brought as it your beautiful city to hold our national encappment. You have received in as though we were the princes of the narth. Never did I realize the poverty of speech as I realize in now, in attempting to course to some what I know to be the heartfelt thanks of these versass and maself for your royal reception and unstinted hospitality. You possess the rare faculty, peculiar to southern people, of makine stainer within your gate spel that he is a home, and that he is in the house of his friends. Foremost among those to welcome the veterans of the blue to the commonwellth of Sentituly, the state that gave to the nation that great commoner. Henry Clay, and that greatest of Americans, Abraham Lincoln, have been the veterans who wore the gray.

It may have occurred to some of you that we are here on business. If so, you are laboring under a delinion. We are here bent on pleasure, determined, in a reasonable, orderig and semi-soher way, to have a good time. True to the solidlerly matinet we expected to do soine focusing, but to send out foraring parties we find would be an innecessary waste of energy, for you have not only anticipated but have bountifully supplied every want of the inner man. I am convinced that Kentucky raises more and femilerer chickens thin any other antas in more aftered by a depicted heaving than by a delicit in the treasur?

My friends, you may have noticed that some of the boys of rest and issu, with hearts as young forms as evert, heads as bluck steps us stoody, as when we marched to the front thirty-odd cears ago to fight for home. Country and Ucel. May three boys isot.

He lies awar tompanion drains only and them.

Always be returned and happy and ay.

Till the last awar companion drains on the set of the forman and cold.

bless them—
"Always be ofcunful and happy and gay.
"I'll the last near companion drops so
away."

At our camptiess we sing the old army so

Will Riole Assume the Caired States.

New Yout, R. I. Sept. 16.—Tom Windson; the United States coast line biered tourist, has arrived here, having 12,292 miles to his credit. Windsor started March :4 from New Oricans in an attempt to ride around the boundary of the country in 300 consecutive days. He crossed Texas and the desert of New Mexico into California, and north to Scattle and theme along the Canadian line as far as Bangor, Me., at which point he turned his wheel southward along the Atlantic coast, which he will follow closely as far as St. Augustine. Fia., where he will turn west for New Oricans.

SAN FRANCISCO ALARMED.

Extra Precautions Will Be Takes to Keep Of the state, along the lines of the railroads. They are thoroughly aroused to the danger that is threatened the city and state by the close proximity of Asiatic cholera. As already announced, the board of health has declared Honolulu an infected port, and hereafter all vessels from there will be detained and thoroughly funigated.

KILLED HIS STEPFATHER.

Little Archie Forter Would Not Permit His Mother to Be Beaten.

TOPENA, Kain, Sept. 16.—"You had better lock me up. I have shot my stepfather," said 16-year-old Archie boy's mother and firs stepfather, Henry Porter, were quarreling. Porter began to beat his wife, when he reson said as revolver and fired three shots at his stepfather, Only one shot took effect, but it kilied him.

SQUAWS DON BLOOMERS, The New Woman Craye Has Reached the Indian Dannes of the Prints.

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The New Woman Craze Has Reached the Indian Damsel of the Frains.

Germing, Ok., Sept. 16.—A few days ago a large party of Osage Indians arrived on a visit to the Sac and Fox tribe, east of here, and the two tribes began a pony dance, which will last a week. The white people who visited the dance were astonished to see that the new woman was there, fully a dozen of the Osage squaws being attred in calico bloomers of the most gamly hue.

Shot by Her Little Sister.
Four Scott, Kan, Sept. 16.—Bessie Bruce, the 12-year-old daughter of W. R. Bruce, a leading grocer of this city, and her syear-old dister Ervin were in the dining room this morning when the younger sister picked up a Winchester shotgun, which her father had left there upon his return from a hunt, and playfulle.

The Grand Army of the Republic is a national organization. Its members one is will, the sund over every public bounding and over every public locally retrieved in calico bloomers of the most gamly hue.

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Galveston's Harbor Still Improving.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Gen. Craig-hill, chief of engineers, has received a

where he had committed spicide.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

Bulletin on the Subject Issued by the Bureau of Statistics.

Washington, Sept. 16.—A bulletin ssued by the bureau of statistics of the reasury department shows an excess of imports of merchandise over exports for the month of August of \$15,315,729, and for the eight months ended August 31, of \$36,595,518. The same pe riods last year showed the exports to be in excess by \$0.058,075 and \$64,777.-

Gold to the value of \$16,667,961 was exported during the month of August, making \$55,766,217 for the eight months making \$50,708,217 for the eight monune of the year. The excess of exports over imports is placed at \$13,152,282 and \$27,702,341, as opposed \$1,915, 100 and \$54,253,987 for the same period in 1894. Gold ore showed a total export for the eight months of over \$1,000,000. The silver exports, including coin, bullion and ore was \$4,509,000 and \$59,000,000, op-posed to \$4,500,000 and \$29,000,000 for

The immigrations during the month numbered 27,190, and for the year, to date, 213,783, as opposed to 17,448 and 166, 581 during 1894.

WILL TEST THE CASE The New G. A. R. Commander Says a Pese

sion is a Vested Right INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 16.—Com-mander-in-Chief Walker, of the G. A. R., said when asked as to his intention of taking measures toward the institu-tion of a test case to establish the elaim that a pension is a vested right, that he would do so as early at possible. There is no question in my mind, he said, "that the courts will hold that a pension is a vested right when the matter is brought to their attention, and it is my purpose to proceed at once toward the institution of a test case in order to secure a ruling. The suit will be brought in the federal courts, of course, and as soon as possible. First, howcouncil of administration as to the de tails."

IS HILLMON ALIVE TOO?

C. M. Foulks and C. W. Ryus Offer to Produce the Missing Man for a Certain Sum TOPERA, Kun., Sept. 10.—The Capital sublishes a statement as coming from M. Foniks and C. W. Ryus, claim agents for the Santa Fe railad, that they have discovered whereabouts of John W. Hill-mon, principal in the famous insur-ance case which has occupied the at-tention of Kansas so many years. According to the story these gentlemen know Hillmon to be alive and located where they can put their hands on bim, and they have made a proposition to the interested insurance co to deliver him in court.

CHOLERA AT HONOLULU. Superstition of the Natives Makes It Dim-

cult to Manage the Epidemic.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—Private advices received from Honolulu and published here state that cholera has secured a stronger hold on the Hawaiian capital than the author-ities there are willing to admit. The natives are said to be much in-censed at the Honolulu health offiorders. It is predicted that unless the disease abates or some change is made in its management the natives may revolt, and resort to their favorite remedies for diseases riots and in-

DENIED BY HIS SISTER.

Mrs. Yeomans Declares That Mr. Cleveland Opposes a Third Term from Principle.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 16.—Mrs. Lucian T. Yeomans, a sister of Presi-dent Cleveland, at her home at Onta-rio, Wayne county, said emphatically that her brother would not be a candi date for a third term. She said that the alleged interviews with close advisers of the president were without foundation, as the president had told her personally he would not be a candidate for a third term and that he did not believe in it.

IS DR. FRAKER INSANE?

Many Believe Bis Attorneys Will Set Up the Plea of Non Compos Meutis. > EXCRLSION SERINGS, Mo., Sept. 16.—It is believed by many here that the plea of insanity will be set up in the Dr. Fraker case. It is known that two doctors and one attorney have exp as that indicate that the th on of indestructible states, the huptism of on is prevalent here that before the old was a necessity.

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> Many Given Employment CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—The Calumet furnace of South Chicago "blew in" this morning, after having remained idle since the autumn of 1992. Between 1,500 and 2,000 men will be provided with employment. Half a dozen times within as many weeks the people of South Chicago have had cause to rejoice over the opening of big factories, furnaces and foundries and the return of prosperity is fully de

Choss, Ok., Sept. 16.—John Hall and wife, daughter Maude, 1* years of age,

A Long Ride on a Wheel. NEW YORK Sept. 16.—R. P. Searles, the cyclist of Rockford, III., who left Chicago Sunday, the 5th instant, at 4:15 a. m., arrived at New York at 3:30 this morning. Allowing time difference of one bour, he made 1,011 miles